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Negro Shot by Camp Superintendent.

In a difficulty at the construction camp of D. B. Lacy & Son in the South yards of the Louisville and Nashville railroad yesterday afternoon, J. A. Bobo, superintendent of the construction work under contract by the firm, shot and probably seriously wounded Frank Jackson, a negro laborer, after the latter had terrorized the camp of negroes and engaged in several fights.

The shooting took place about four o'clock near the round house, after all attempts to quiet the unruly negro had proved fruitless and when he became indignant at the efforts of the white man to quiet him.

Jackson, it is said, began drinking early in the afternoon and becoming intoxicated made several efforts to fight with negroes at the camp. Dock Dean, a notorious negro woman, came in contact with Jackson and following a few words, the latter began to beat her. A long scalp wound which required a number of stitches to close, was inflicted.

The police were informed of the incident and Patrolman Fred Link was on his way to place the negro under arrest when the shooting occurred. Mr. Bobo, it is said, made an effort to induce the negro to go to the camp car. Jackson, becoming incensed, drew a knife and started at the white man when the latter drew his revolver and fired.

The bullet from a 32 calibre Winchester special took effect in Jackson's left groin, inflicting a dangerous wound which may have a fatal result. The negro was picked up and taken to one of the camp cars where Dr. George Rankin and Dr. F. M. Faries were

summoned to attend his injuries.

Bobo surrendered to Patrolman Link after the shooting but was later released on \$250 bond with Mr. Lacy as his surety. Eyewitnesses to the shooting say that Bobo acted in self defense and did not draw his revolver until it became apparent that he was in danger of the knife held by the negro.

To Inspect Local Commandery.

Sir Knight Albert A. Hazelrigg, of Mt. Sterling, Grand Sword Bearer, will visit Coeur de Lion Commandery No. 26, K. T., Monday, March 10, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of making annual inspection. The Order of the Temple will be conferred. The presence of all Sir Knights is urged and all attending are requested to bring uniforms.

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TELLS STORY OF CRIME

Effie Evans, Fatally Burned, Narrates Attempt Made On Her Life

ACCUSED NEGRO IN JAIL

Arrest Follows Startling Confession of Woman Who Will Die From Injuries

Admitting that she feared to tell the story of the tragedy that will cost her life, narrating in detail of the attempt made to burn her to death Effie Evans, who more than a week ago was found in an unconscious condition at her home in the colored suburb of Claysville, suffering from a number of severe burns, charges John Carter, the negro with whom she lived, with the crime.

The confession of the woman was made to her brother, Walter Evans, colored, of Dayton, Ohio, who came to this city after learning of the sad fate which befell his sister. After repeated attempts he succeeded in inducing the woman to tell the story of the tragedy which was followed by the arrest of Carter, who is now in jail.

According to the story of the brother of the woman, she told him of all the events leading up to the attempt Carter made on her life. He said that the day the attempt to burn her to death was made the negro was in the house with her and that he choked her almost into insensibility, saturated her clothing with kerosene and applied a match.

Evans, it is said, last night told the police of the confession of his sister and an attempt was made to capture Carter. The latter had gone to the office of Drs. Kenney and Rankin where he was followed by the Evans boy who told the police of his location and Carter was placed under arrest by Patrolman G. N. McKenney.

According to the story of the police they have been keeping a close watch on Carter for several days. His actions have been very suspicious since the day the attempt was made upon the woman's life and it was the opinion that he knew something of the affair and was responsible for the woman's injuries. It was the result of an attempt to start a fire with coal oil, an explosion following which set fire to her garments.

According to those who visited the scene shortly after the woman was found, her underclothing bore evidence of being saturated with kerosene and this fact serves to strengthen the theory that instead of meeting with an accident there had been an attempt at foul play.

The brother of the woman told a pitiful story of her suffering from the injuries she had sustained, and how he had pleaded with her to give him a correct account of the tragedy. He said that until yesterday she stoutly protested that it was nothing other than an accident, but when plied with questions as to why her undergarments were so well saturated with the oil and that practically none was to be found on the portions of her skirts which were not burned, she told of Carter choking her into semi-unconsciousness, laying her on the floor, pouring kerosene over her underwear and setting fire to it.

When found she was in an unconscious condition but revived shortly after medical aid arrived. For the past several days she has been in a very serious condition and it is probable that she may die at any moment.

Walter Evans, the woman's brother, frenzied over the confession of his sister, implicating Carter, attempted to assault the prisoner while he was in the custody of the arresting officer and had it not been for timely interference would probably have succeeded.

Carter stoutly protests his innocence and declared there was no attempt on his part to do the woman any harm and that the burns she received was the result of her attempt to start a fire with coal oil. He says that he has had nothing but kind feeling toward the woman, and that he will have witnesses to prove the affair was an accident and that there were a number in the house at the time it occurred.

It was stated last night the Evans woman could not survive the night and that an attempt would be made to get a dying statement.

The negro who is charged with committing the fiendish crime is well known and is said to bear a very bad reputation. He was employed as a laborer at the stables of J. H. Fuhrman.

No other motive can be assigned for the alleged attempt on the Evans woman's life other than jealousy. Several days following the tragedy an attempt was made to verify a rumor of the attempt to burn the woman, and when questioned Carter assumed a sullen attitude and would talk but little.

Elks Elect Officers

The annual election of officers of Paris Lodge No. 873 Benevolent Protective Order of Elks was held at the Elks Hall Tuesday evening, resulting as follows:

Exalted Ruler—S. K. Nichols.
Esteemed Leading Knight—H. C. Horton.
Esteemed Loyal Knight—James M. O'Brien.
Esteemed Lecture Knight—J. D. Mitchell.
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